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ALL CAPS means confirmed event, article inside. *Italics means it's in another kingdom.*

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From the Crown

Good Outlanders all, know the treasured words of Their Royal Majesties, Cyrred II and Morgana who bring to you greetings most warm and joyous,

As we look toward the end of Our reign We are pleased for We know that the best interest of Our people will remain in the most worthy arms possible—those of Our heirs, **Artan and Aziza**. We welcome them and have the deepest faith in their capabilities to render good service and protection over these Grand Outlands.

There are still several people and groups We wish to thank for their efforts and dedication. This includes the autocrats of Crown Tournament, **Lord Wolfangus** and **Lord Coamh,** as well as the good people of Gleann Medonach. We also wish to thank, in advance, the autocrat of Coronation, **Lady Kaylin,** and the good people of Scorpion's Hollow, who have put much time and effort into this most important of events. Also, Her Majesty wishes to express her gratitude and appreciation to **Countess Elisheva** for beautifully embroidering the Queen's Cyphers. Thank you all!

During Our reign We have been fortunate to work with an exceptional group of officers. We wish to personally thank two of them who have consistently gone far and beyond their commitment to duty: Our Kingdom Scribe, **Mistress Joella,** who has faithfully given Us beautiful scroll work for many awards, through the College; and, Our Kingdom Chronicler, **Lady Helena,** who has been patient with Us, and has shown adaptability, efficiency and excellence in office during this time of transition for our Society.

Our Congratulations to **Baron Iric** who has been offered elevation to the Order of the Pelican. Well done! And finally, as this is Our last letter, it is Our wish to thank all of you, those who helped Us from the very beginning to the end of our reign, those who fetched, listened, spoke, fed us, and guided us. Unto all of the Outlands, thank you for making this a magical time for both of Us. It was a joy to serve as your King and Queen.

In Service to these mighty lands,

Cyrred II — Cyrred

Morgana — Morgana

Positions of honour in the Court of TRM Cyrred and Morgana

Warlord	Syr Hakon af Jorvik
Champion of Arts and Sciences	Lady Drahomira Jaroslavna
Blue Iris Herald	THL Louis-Phillipe Mitouard
King's Champion	Sir Ruter Rotbart von Rothenberg
Queen's Champion	Sir Torin Thornwald
Flower of Chivalry	Sir Titus
Protector of the Queen's Heart	Lord Morgan
Rapier of Chivalry	Don Eichavarian
Royal Executioner	Sir Gregor von Munchausen
Queen's Guard	Lord Minimoto Akira
Lord Brennan	Lord Magnus
Lord Æthelstan	Lord Hogaarden
Lord Gavin	Lord Trevor
Ladies in Waiting	Lady Sidonia of Seven Oaks
	Lady Elizabeth O'Byrnne
	Lady Kiera

From the Crown Prince and Princess

Unto the Good People of the Outlands, Artan and Aziza, Crown Prince and Princess, send warmest greetings in this month of May in the in the eighth year of the Sovereignty of the Kingdom of the Outlands.

Good Gentlefolk,

We cordially invite all of you to attend our upcoming Coronation ceremonies, to be held the first weekend in May in the shire of Scorpion's Hollow. We are looking forward to a wonderful time and we would like to share it with all of you. Thank you to the populace of Gleann Medonach. We enjoyed ourselves at Crown Tournament very much due to the great effort put out by everyone in the shire. We especially liked the feast.

We are looking forward to a reign filled with calm and prosperity. We are eager to get out and meet as many new people as we can as well as reaquainting ourselves with all of our old friends. Please feel free to approach us with your concerns, for we are here to serve.

As you may have heard, the Outlands lost a brave and chivalrous Knight the day of Crown Tournament. His Excellency, Baron Ishiyama Namban Tadashi, passed away April second. Sir Tadashi was one of the most eloquent and gracious peers of the Outlands. His voice and his counsel will be sorely missed. If there was one thing Sir Tadashi taught us, it was to place honor above all else. We will try as the new Crown to live up to his ideals.

Please know that we remain,

In service to the Outlands,

Artan

Aziza

Intended Progress

May 7-8	Coronation	Scorpion's Hollow
May 15	Baronial Polling	Unser Hafen
May 27-30	Grand Outlandish	al-Barran
June 17-20	Lillies War	Calontir
June 25-26	Aten/Outlands War	Ered Sul

Peers' Circles

Coronation	Laurels, Pelicans	Sunday morning
Unser Hafen Polling	All Three Orders	Sunday morning
Grand Outlandish	Chivalry	Saturday morning

CORONATION

May 7-8

Greetings all, the Shire of Scorpions Hollow extends open arms to the Outlands on the weekend of May 7-8. Join us for a time of mingled sorrow and gladness, sadness as TRM Cyredd and Morgana step down and joy as TRH Artan and Aziza ascend the thrones of the Outlands in glorious pageantry and ceremony.

Our site, complete with trees and running water (alas, no showers), is Ned Houk Park, located approximately 10 miles north of Clovis NM on Hwy 209. The site fee is $5.00, $8.00 for non-members, and children 6-16 pay only 25¢ per year of age. Our Keeper of the Waifs is planning many different and invigorating activities for the children on Saturday and Sunday.

Saturday's schedule is as follows:

9:30 a.m.	Lists Open
10:00 a.m.	Opening Court
10:30 a.m.	Queen's Champion Tourney
3:00 p.m.	Chronicler's Meeting
6:00 p.m.	Coronation court.

Following Court, relax and enjoy a most delicious feast fit for a king. This sumptuous feast will be prepared by our cook, Lady Kendra Lianne. She promises to feed you well with breads, soup, a cold vegetable tray, roasted meats, noodles, tea, and a fyne dessert. The feast fee is a mere $7.00, children 6-13 pay $3.50. The cut-off date has already passed, so contact the autocrat immediately for reservations.

Sunday's schedule is as follows:

8:00 a.m.	Pelican's Circle
9:00 a.m.	Laurel's Circle
9:30 a.m.	Lists Open
10:00 a.m.	Kingdom Officer/Landed Baron[ess] Meeting
11:00 a.m.	Protector of the Queen's Heart Tourney (following meeting)

Closing Court will be held at the whim of Their Majesties.

A fundraiser for the Kingdom General Fund in the form of a resurrection battle will be held. The lights will fight on Saturday and the heavies on Sunday. Additional information will be available on site.

Other activities may materialize, time permitting, so be prepared for much merrymaking and a general good time. Merchants and entertainers are, of course, most welcome. The site will open at 6:00 p.m. on Friday, May 6th and will close at 5:00 p.m. Sunday, May 8th. Please make all checks payable to SCA-Scorpions Hollow.

Your Autocrat for this glorious event is:

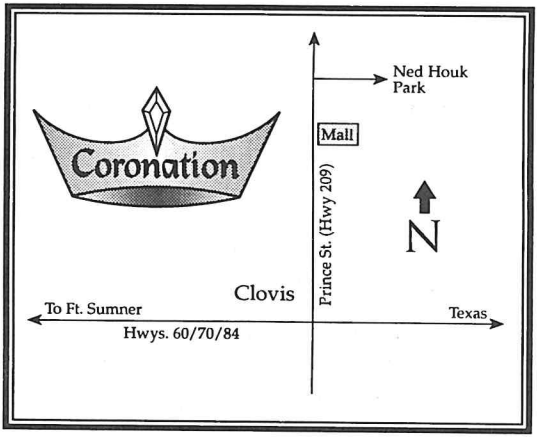
Lady Kaylin Tamashi (Linda Hopkins)
1340 San Felipe Court,
Portales NM 88130
(505) 359-2713

Co-Autocrat: m'lord Richard (Richard Williams)
1433 Lexington,
Clovis NM 88101
(505)763-4377 (anytime except Thursday mornings)

Directions to the Coronation Site:

From the North (Denver): Take your best route to Tucumcari (south on Hwy 209/San Jon/ south on Hwy 469). These merge into Hwy 209, then proceed south. Watch for signs into the park.

From the South: Take your best route to the Portales/Clovis area. In Portales you will pick up Hwy 70. Follow that into Clovis and continue straight. This puts you on Prince Street and you follow that out of town about ten miles. Turn right into the park.



From the West (Ft. Sumner): Follow Hwys 60/84 into and through Clovis until you reach Prince Street. Turn left and follow Prince until you reach the park on your right.

From the East: Follow Hwy 60 or Hwys 70/84 to Clovis, turn right on Prince Street. Proceed north, turn right into the park.

In General: Take your best route to Clovis, New Mexico. Proceed north on Prince Street. Approximately 10-12 miles past the mall (on your right), you will turn right into Ned Houk Park. Remember to pay the troll as you enter.

Crown Tournament Review

These are the unofficial results of the Crown Tournament bouts fought in the Shire of Gleann Medonach on April 2, A.S. XXVIII (1994). The Lists were fought single fight, double elimination.

Name	*1*	*2*	*3*	*4*	*5*	*6*	*7*	*8*
Duke Artan MacAilin	1-W	3-W	5-W	3-W	1-L	1-W	1-W	1-W
Lord Cameron Blackswan	1-L	7-W	4-W	2-L				
Baron I. Needham Bledsoe	2-W	5-W	BYE	4-W	2-W	1-L	BYE	1-L
Sir Christophe Gately	2-L	4-W	4-L					
Sir Asad ud-Din	3-L	3-L						
Sir Hakon af Jorvik	3-W	6-W	2-W	4-L	1-W	2-W	1-L	
Sir Vagn Olafsson	4-W	2-L	5-L					
Lord Ralf Blackwood	4-L	6-L						
Lord Mavellic Hayes	5-L	BYE	3-W	3-L				
Lord Maelgwyn McCain	5-W	2-W	2-L	1-W	2-L			
Lord Gavin Brangane	6-L	7-L						
Lord Dunstan of the Red Spear	6-W	1-L	1-L					
Lord Jalut Gaston de Nevarre	7-L	4-L						
Sir Bjarni Kenhelm	7-W	5-L	1-W	2-W	BYE	2-L		
Lord Aric Raven	BYE	1-W	3-L	1-L				

How is this read? 1-W means first fight that round, winner; 4-L means fourth fight, loser. This information provided to you by **Countess Kathryn of Iveragh** from her sideline tally.

Caerthen A&S Competition/Collegium

Saturday, May 14th

Good gentles of the Outlands, we bid you come join us at this **Visual and Functional A&S competition**/collegium and tourney. The site opens at 9:00 a.m., with classes beginning at 9:30 a.m. Classes will include but are not limited to: **chainmail, calligraphy, heraldry, inkle looms, documentation, leatherworking, candle making, and stained glass.** There will also be a blacksmith's forge for drop-in smithing (no experience required). Also, at the lunchbreak we will offer an on board meal available for a small donation.

In the afternoon both heavy and light weapon prize tourneys will be held. This will be followed by a potluck feast, and an evening of reveling, with court to be held at Her Excellency's discretion. The competition will run all day, with categories as follows:

Pen and Ink	Metalwork
Woodwork	Leatherwork
Written works	House/ Items
Masking/Mundane	Miniatures

Entries must be made by 11:00 a.m. If your entry has a written portion that is longer than three pages, they must be received by the autocrat by May 9th.

Fees: Site fee is $5/person. Make checks payable to SCA-Caerthe. Make sure to note your SCA name, and your local group on all checks.

Feast: The feast will be potluck. Each and every person who plans to participate in the feast needs to bring a dish that can feed five people. An ingredients list will also be needed for each dish, to avoid allergies. Cards will be provided at the site. This is a **WET** site, but the tourney field is **NOT**. The site closes at 11:00 p.m.

Site: The First Universalist Church of Denver, which is located on the northeast corner of Colorado and Hampden.

Directions: From the north: Exit I-25 at Colorado Ave. (exit 204). Turn right (south), and go approximately two miles. The church will be on your left. **From the south:** Exit I-25 at Hampden (exit 201). Turn left (west), and go about one mile. The church will be on your right. Please park in the lot to the east of the church. For further information contact:

Autocrat: Taliesin ab Iago (John Newton)
44 Hern Lane, Castle Rock CO 80104
(303) 660-8330

May Play & Baronial Polling

Sunday, May 15

Greetings all! The Great Barony of Unser Hafen requests the presence of the populous of the Outlands for a pleasant Sunday of business and pleasure. Come join us for a day in the park where we will be holding our Baronial Polling, a heavy weapons tournament, and Peers' Circles throughout the day.

The Baronial Polling and the tournament will be held at Spring Creek Park. This site will open at 10:00 a.m. and close at 5:00 p.m. Polling hours will be from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The list for Artan's Whim Tourney will open at 10:30, and the fighting is expected to begin at 11:00 a.m.

Bring a picnic lunch, cast your ballot for your choice of Baronial candidates, cheer on your favorite fighter, and have much fun in the May sun. The schedule for the Peers' Circles will be as follows:

Pelicans:	9:00 a.m.
Laurels:	10:00 a.m.
Chivalry	2:00 p.m.

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(May Play Continued)

The Chivalry Circle will be held at the park following the tournament. The other circles will be held at a residence near the park. Please contact the autocrat, in advance, for directions to the location or look in the May issue your local newsletter for more updated news.

Directions to the site: From the South: Take I-25 to Harmony Road, proceed west to College Ave., continue north to Springcreek Dr. (at Bank One), go east one block to the firehouse and park. **From the North:** Take I-25 to Prospect St., proceed west to College Ave., head south to Springcreek Dr. (three blocks South of Prospect at Bank One).
For further information and/or directions contact:

AUTOCRAT: THL Theresa die Tanzerin (Terry Foppe), 622 Whedbee, Ft. Collins CO 80521, (303) 482–6608

Brigands Bizzare VI

May 27-29

Aedhan and Medhbh...The Next Generation. The saga of the Brigands versus the Merchants once again continues in the Barony of Unser Hafen, on Memorial weekend. Sir Haroun and Lady Dovita have graciously given us many of the toys from Bizarres past (including the bridge). In keeping with previous events, fighting will be random draw with many new scenarios including resurrections.

The site fee is $7.00 per person (1/2 price 8-14) and includes a two night stay on Pawnee-Grasslands. Make checks payable to: SCA–Barony of Unser Hafen. The site opens at 4:00 p.m. Friday night and closes at 4:00 p.m. Sunday.

The feast will be the fine works of Lady Theresa die Tanzerin. The fee is $3.00 per person and every single person must bring a side dish that will feed at least 6 starving fighters. Children under 14 will feast free.

Fires must be contained above ground with the exception of the indoor/outdoor fire pit. Since we share this site with mundane campers, the Forestry Service has asked us to adhere to the following restrictions:

1. **Dogs must be leashed at all times** and must not be allowed to bark. We are asking gentles not to leave dogs unattended.
2. The site is very wet, has permanent non-flush toilets and lots of running water, However, water cannot be used directly out of the faucets. The water is for all campers, not just the SCA.
3. There will be a 10:00 p.m. noise curfew each night, this includes late arrivals.

These rules are firm, violations could result in your being asked to leave the site.

There will be lots of fighting, lots of prizes and lots of food. Lord Tracker will be doing an adult quest after the feast on Saturday. We will also be holding a prize drawing for volunteers. Lord Thorfinn Greybeard will be in charge of the target archery. All archers who wish to compete in combat must be armored and authorized to fight.

Reservations are NOT required.

Directions: Take I-25 to exit 269-A (near Fort Collins). Go east on Highway 14 (past Ault) to mile marker 176, turn left and proceed just short of a 1/4 mile. Turn left again at the reremouse (Bat) crossing sign, which will lead you into the park.

Autocrats: Lord Ædhan Brecc and Lady Medhbh O'Duibhdabhoireann (Mark and Teresa Sherwin), P.O. Box 73, Wellington CO 80549, (303) 568-3950

Grand Outlandish XXI

May 27-30

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Their Excellencies, the baron and baroness of al-Barran invite one and all to attend the twenty-first happening known as Grand Outlandish to be held May to 27th to 30th.There will be tournaments, melees, shopping, heraldic consultations, bardic performances, crafts demonstrations and much, much more. Laughter and water will need to be supplied by each person attending, and you'll be glad if you bring rakes and shovels to clean off your camping site. **MARK YOUR TOOLS** because someone will no doubt want to borrow them.

The daytime will be hot; drink more water than you planned to, and consider a hat or sunscreen. To help insure that you'll enjoy the event, make sure you have enough clothing (cool and warm), food, camp decorations, musical instruments, armor and weapons in good repair, etc. **Bring firewood** for your camp if you want a fire. There's some wood on the site, but we won't cut any standing trees (alive or dead). *If there's deadwood loose and lying on the ground you can use it, but anything which is standing or fastened to the ground in any way is to be left alone.*

There will be a children's boffer tournament and an organized children's area. Parents and others are welcome to spend some time and assist in the edification of our younger participants.

Pets are welcome but need to be caged or leashed. We are expecting several horses on site throughout the weekend. Remember this is a plague area. Take the appropriate measures to protect your pet's health.

Important Details

There will be a Belted Circle on Saturday morn.
Early setup and site preparation (arriving Wednesday or Thursday) $15 (members)
Grand Outlandish attendance (arriving Friday or Saturday) $10 (members)
Non-member surcharge will be $2.
Sunday-only attendance $5
Children (12 and under) free All minors must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian (proof required) Site closes at sundown of Monday, May 30
Reserved space in the market $25. All merchants must gain the approval of Baron Needham prior to displaying their wares. (Food merchants must obtain a certificate of health from the state of New Mexico. Contact the autocrat for additional information.

Schedule of events

Wednesday
9:00 am: Site Opens for early set-up don't expect full facilities until Friday
Friday
4:00 pm: Lord of Outlandish Tourney
Fencers' Family Feud
Sundown: Opening Court of TE Needham and Susan
Saturday
Morning: Belted Circle
9:00 am: The Bottle Tourney
9:00 am: Drygestan Tourney
1:00 pm: Outlandish Rapier Tourney
1:00 pm: 'The Mill'
Evening: Saturday night at the Pit
Sunday
9:00 am: Schlager Tourney
9:00 am: Citadel Crest Tourney
1:00 pm: A Most Noble Tournament more melees
1:00 pm: Only 3 hours left in the Family Feud!
Sundown: Probably Court
Monday
Morning: Break camp, help clean, and travel safely
10:00 am: Probably Court
5:00 pm: Site Closes

Schedules may be shifted to accomodate their Majesties and Their Excellencies needs but the autocrat will strive to keep Outlandish timely. Other happenings are bound to occur. Listen for the town criers. Listen for the bell.

So what's all this fighting anyway?

Lord of Outlandish Tourney An al-Barranian staple. Take the day and live with it for the weekend!

Fencers' Family Feud—Forty-eight hours of non-stop frolicking and fencing. Be prepared!

Drygestan Tourney—A traditional prize tournament punctually provided by Drygestan.

The Bottle Tourney—Every entrant brings a bottle and the winning team takes all. Three fighters per team

'The Mill'—Multiple scenarios in which 10-man teams compete. Come try this test of endurance.

Outlandish Rapier Tourney—To bear the Outlandish sword is this noble quest.

Schlager Tourney—Fencing duals in the morning aire.

A Most Noble Tournament—Lord Jalut brings pageantry and panache to the Grande Melee

Saturday Night at the Pit—Hrabia Jan w Orzeldom will oversee the clash of noble warriors

Citadel Crest Tourney—Show your mettle, er mantle, and try the test of durability.

Medieval Tournament

On Sunday morning, the 29th of May, a Most Noble Tournament will be held at the Glorious Grand Outlandish! All Royal Peers, Knights, Masters of Arms, Peers, Defenders of the Stag's Blood, squires and worthy fighters are invited to fight in a Grand Melee wearing Crests and accompanied by retainers. The rules for this notable event are as follows:

1) To act as a Noble you MUST have a crest on your helm suitable for combat.

2) You are allowed retainers based on rank: His Majesty and Her Majesty may have five retainers; Dukes and Duchesses may have four; Counts and Countesses may have three; Peers may have two; and Defenders of the Stag's Blood may have one retainer.

3) Initially, retainers are defenders only; they may not strike blows. It is the prowess of the contender that strikes the blows.

4) Judging will occur, and it is NOT how well you fight, it is how well you Look in fighting, and Presentation of yourself and your entourage.

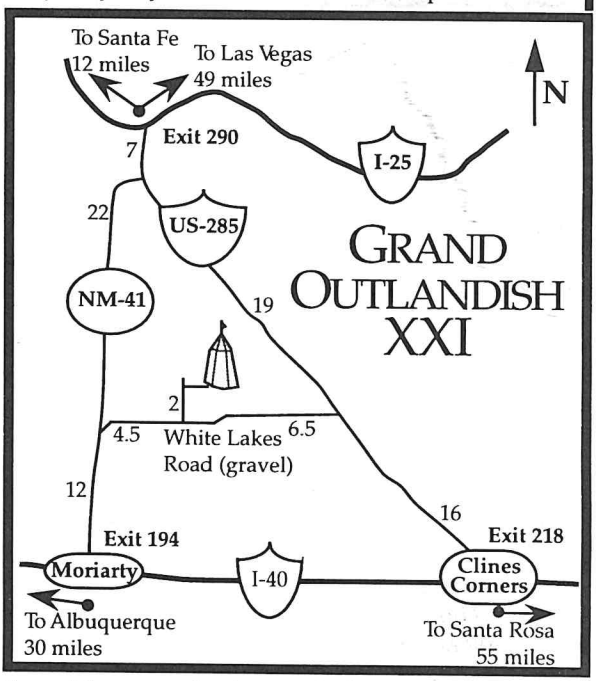
5) Entourages are encouraged!

6) The Prizes are awarded for chivalry, fighting, presentation.

7) Non-fighting Peers may appoint one of their retainers to fight in their stead at the striker.

8) This is a Grand Melee, and sides will be chosen at the end of Presentations!

9) The lists will open on Saturday, and the Melee will occur on Sunday.



To enable the melee (and impress the judges), a standard banner with your arms, and tabards for your retainers, are worthy accoutrements. Artisans, negotiate your service in the creation of the crests (leather works best)! Heralds, make arrangements for your services as you announce the participants! Remember, the crest is NOT a target, and it should be as real as possible. *(Grand Outlandish continued on p.12)*

The effort will be well rewarded as the prizes for this tournament will be truly medieval. Still, we request your help. If you're interested in making a small bit of history, please call Lord Jalut (303) 665-7796, or write to: Guy Wells, 480 West Street, Louisville CO 80027.

Grand Outlandish–Eastern Tournament

Greetings unto all Warriors who travel toward al-Barran! Hrabia Jan w Orzeldom comes with all his *dryzyna* to **Grand Outlandish!** All with skill at arms are invited to show their prowess before him there, at a *turniej szablowy* (sabre tournament) in the style of the hrabia's Mazovian homeland. Any sword wielded in one hand is an appropriate weapon. Second weapons or shields will not be used. The *turniej* will be fought by torchlight. Come and win fame! The deeds of *szampjony* (champions) will be sung in far lands; wealth will flow freely to the brave and the fair! The hrabia's men are known for their distinctive tournament style. The call is out for all others with talents at arms to join us in this colorful event. Full details will be available at Grand Outlandish.

Are you reading all your OH?

Grand Outlandish XXI is getting a wonderful show of support as demonstrated by the legions of dedicated workers who have turned up for the site cleaning parties. This last April 9th, 69 hearty souls did site improvement and, truly, all who come will benefit from their labors. If you wish to make a difference, come to the April 30th site cleaning work party. There is still much to do with this virgin territory! There will still be ample opportunity for volunteers once the event is underway as well. Marshals, water bearers, criers, security, gate guides, parking attendants and others all need extra assistance to make Grand Outlandish better for all comers.

Your Grand Outlandish XXI Event and Site Coordinator/Autocrat:
Jarl Gunwaldt Gulbjorn (Keith Dodd), 8116 Princess Jeanne NE
Albuquerque NM 87110-6022, (505) 299-2476

Dragonsspine Warlord and Defender Tourney

June 4

The Barony of Dragonsspine sends forth the call to all fighters and fencers of the realm to come and try their skills against one another in our annual Warlord and Defender Tourney. Come help us determine the best of the best to follow into battle. The highest ranked Dragonsspine fighter and fencer will become our new Warlord (heavy weapons) and Defender (fencing). Prizes will be awarded for best fighter, best fencer, best death, and most chivalrous.

A box lunch auction is planned in the afternoon. Bid on a meal and share it with the lovely lady or handsome lord who prepared it, or bring your own gourmet treats to offer up on the auction block.

Site: Black Forest Regional Park, north pavilion.

Fees: site/$1.00; tournament/$1.00 (Children 12 and under free)

The site will open at 9:00 a.m. with the list beginning at 10:00 a.m. There will be a break in the fighting at 1:00 p.m. for the box lunch auction. Inspections for both heavy and light weapons fighters are planned as well. Following the tournaments a Baronial Court will be held. A variety of children's activities will be organized for the day. For more information contact the **Autocrat:** Ayslynn ab Gwyncath (Pat Coleman), 3730 Knoll Lane #49, Colorado Springs CO, (719) 597-4944.

Directions: From I-25 take Woodmen Road to Black Forest Road (east on Woodmen). Follow Black Forest Road to Burgess. There will be a general store on your left. Turn left on Burgess and follow until it ends (approx. 2 mi.), turn right and stay on road until you run into the park. SCA signs will be posted.

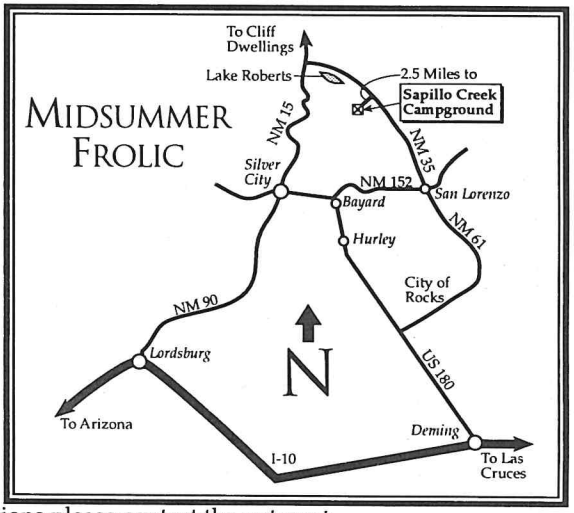
Mid-Summer Frolic

June 11-12

Once again, under the tall cool pines of the Sapillo Creek Campground in the Gila Wilderness, the Northern Reaches of Loch Thioram will be hosting their Midsummer Frolic this June. Come join us for a variety of period games and activities. Heavy weapons, Rapier, and Archery tournaments are planned. A projectile contest will also be held so bring your edged throwing weapons. There will be many contests and challenges to stimulate the mind and challenge the heart.

A feast will be held on Saturday evening, and is limited, so make your reservations early. The site is primitive, so be prepared to camp. Bring plenty of drinking water, and warm clothing for the evening activities.

The site fee including the feast and breakfast is $8.00 before June 1st, and $10.00 afterwards (non-members add $2.00). Children under 13 feast at half the price. There is a small convenience store five miles away from the site for potable water and ice. The site will open at 5:00 p.m. Friday, June 10th. For further information and reservations please contact the autocrat.



Autocrat: Lady Rashani (Pat Doyle)
311N. Bayard St., Silver City NM 88062
(505) 538–5979

Aarquelle Defender

June 11

The Shire of Aarquelle invites one and all to attend our Defenders Tourney this June. There will be heavy weapons and fencing tournaments to determine this year's defenders. There will also be prizes awarded for best death, and the best show of armor, so start polishing! The Flower of Chivalry shall also be presented at this event.
The site is the Greenhorn Meadows Park in Colorado City. The site will open at 8:00 a.m. and close by 11:00 p.m. The day's tournaments will commence at 10:00 a.m. and a lovely feast of simple but plentiful food will begin at 5:30 p.m. The site fee, including the feast, is $6.00 and a dessert to feed six.

Directions: Take your best route to I-23. Proceed to exit 74, turn west and drive three miles. At Greenhorn Meadows Park follow the signs. For further information, feel free to contact:

Autocrat: Bryan Campbell (Brian Huskins)
Rt. 5 Box 342, Rye CO 81069, (719) 489–3840.
For additional information and reservations contact: Lady Ximena (719) 544-2697

Triple Affair

June 10-12

Caerthe invites you to celebrate a weekend of Fighting, Feasting and FUN!! This event will be held at Pawnee National Grasslands this June. The site will open at noon on Friday for those wishing to camp early, and close at 6:00 p.m. Sunday. We would appreciate people having a personal fire extinguisher at their campsite as the current conditions of the eastern plains of Colorado are DRY.

This event will be centered around the fighting arts and will include classes for heavy weapons fighters (coordinated by Lord Maelgwyn), light weapons fighters (coordinated by Lord Tryffin), and non-combatants (coordinated by Lady Rhiannon Wildheart). The fighting will be done in round robin fashion to ensure that the fighters get enough fighting (tourney til you drop) and bring a good appetite to the feast.

The classes for heavy weapons fighters will be on two handed weapons style fighting and fighting with a madu. The classes for the light weapons fighters will include a class on Florentine style and a class on pairs fighting. Non-combatant classes will be announced in June but will be oriented towards the fighting arts. There will also be a round table discussion Sunday morning concerning Caerthe's recent Arts and Sciences Collegium and Competitions. Please bring constructive comments and ideas concerning the running and judging portions of these events.

The feast for 100 persons will be served under the central pavilion and will include the following:

Appetizer: Dolmas, Dates, Feta, Bread, Olives

Feast: Jeweled Rice with Whole Roast Spiced Chicken and Whole Roast Spiced Lamb

Dessert: Fruits of the season

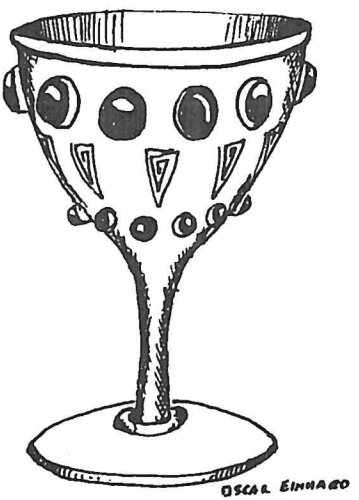
Please note that paid feast reservations must be in by June. The fees are as follows: Site Fee–$7.00, Feast Fee–$7.00, Site and Feast–$14.00.

We encourage merchants to attend as there is plenty of room. Please be prepared for very warm days as well as cold evenings. This site is a nature preserve and has wonderful walking trails, plenty of shade, pit commodes and running water. Please bring your drums and dancing tapes as the Fun portion of this event is a decidedly Middle Eastern affair and we want to see swirling skirts and hear pounding drums!

Directions: Pawnee National Grasslands is in Briggsdale, Colorado. Take I-25 to exit 269A (near the Barony of Unser Hafen). Go east on Hwy 14 (past Ault) to mile marker 176, turn left for 1/4 mile and then turn left again. Look for the camel crossing.

Please send all reservations to the autocrat and make checks payable to SCA–Caerthe.

Autocrat: Lady Krystyana de Chanceaux
(Anna-Marie Lubow)
3061 W. 92nd Ave. 4E
Westminster CO, 80030
(303) 427-8449



Aten–Outlands War VI

June 24-27

Once again it is time for the great armies of the Outlands to meet in battle with the with the Aten forces. This year we shall meet this challenge during the warm Aten summer, upon the shores and in the cool woods of Mormon Lake, Arizona. The site is the Mormon Lake Lodge grounds which is surrounded by the beautiful Arizona National Forest (where public camping may also be available). The site will open at noon on Friday and close at noon on Monday.

In addition to many ongoing contests, bardic circles, classes, and a large variety of other activities there will be much fighting for both heavy and light weapon fighters. Also, archery scenarios will be held throughout the weekend. The Mormon Lake Lodge has limited RV hook-ups and cabins. For reservations call (602) 354-2227 and leave a message.

Fees: $25.00 arriving Friday; $20.00 arriving Saturday and Sunday **($5.00 discount with proof of membership).** Children 5-12 years, $15.00 and $10.00. Children under 5 are free. Day only entry fee: $5.00. Please bring cash, travelers checks, money orders, or cashiers checks. **No personal checks accepted!**

Registration: For registration you must bring your proof of membership, general membership waiver (signed), fighter authorization, and cash.

Merchants: There will be a merchant fee of $30.00. For details and pre-registration contact the merchant autocrats.

Arts and Sciences: There will be held an A & S Competition for a war point. *(See p. 28 for more information).*

Battles: There shall be five Battle Scenarios to be decided by the Crowns. These scenarios will be worth one war point each.

Period Encampment: A special area of this event will be designated *Enchanted Ground.* This means any individual or household that wishes to establish a pre-17th-century style encampment will be allowed to set up with this area. Only period style tents or well disguised modern ones will be permitted. For further information on this encampment contact: Mistress Helen Jennet (P.A. Foley), at (602) 631-9134.

Children's Activities: These activities will be held throughout the weekend for younger children as well as for teenage lords and ladies. An evening social will be organized for the older children.

Equestrian Events: Horses entering Arizona are asked to have proof of vaccinations. For more information on equestrian events contact: Lord Eldar (Mark Hughes), at (602) 526-2856.

Site Restrictions

1. No dogs allowed. Small pets okay.
2. This is a wet site, however you may not bring your own alcohol onto the site. All alcohol must be purchased from the Lodge businesses. No alcohol may be removed from the site. There will be a tavern in merchants row.
3. No firearms permitted on site!

Directions: From the NORTH take Highway 89 to Flagstaff, then I-40 west. **From the EAST and WEST** take I-40 to Flagstaff, then take exit 195B (Flagstaff-Grand Canyon). Keep right, turn left onto exit 341/McConnell Dr. Turn left onto Hwy. 89A/Beulah Blvd. At Lake Mary Road (second traffic light) turn left. **From the SOUTH** take I-17 to exit 339, just south of Flagstaff. Turn right onto Lake Mary Road. From the turn-off travel 21 miles to Mormon Lake Loop Road (right) and travel 8 miles around the lake to the site in the Village of Mormon Lake.

For further information contact one of the autocrats below:

Main—Lady Aeron ni Bridhe (Karen Goodpasture), P.O. Box 1566, Flagstaff AZ 86002, (602) 774-0408

Co-Autocrat—Lady Lidia O'Ceirin (Lydia Maughan), (602) 774-5503

Merchant—Lady Alysande of Green Vale (Anali Maughan), (602) 774-5503

Crossroads II

July 9-10

Greetings from Hawks Hollow, the Canton of the Barony of Caerthe. We would like to invite one and all to partake in this event. Specific details will be published in future articles, but for now, the autocrat would like to make a few announcements pertaining to this fyne event.

First, we would like to put out a call for merchants from across the realm. Our goal is to provide a cheaper, less mundane alternative to previously frequented similar events. Last year, we had seven merchants in attendance. This year we hope to have even more! During the weekend the Barony of Caerthe/Hawks Hollow will be going to war against the Barony of Dragonsspine. The site fee will be $5.00 for adults, $3.00 for children 4-12. Non-members will pay an additional $2.00, and for a tithe of one article of YOUR choice we will give you two free site passes. However, we need you to contact us ahead of time. There are papers and further information that you will need.

Second, there will be two competitions for war points. The first will be a newcomers A&S contest. This competition is for aspiring new artists in our realm who have not yet competed in an A&S competition. No documentation is required! The only rule is that all entries must be period in appearance. The limit is one entry per person, and five entries per barony. A separate table will be set up for display only, for our more accomplished artisans. The second contest will be at the bardic, Saturday night. Each barony may chose three of its best bards to compete during the first hour of the bardic. Each winner, for both contests will be chosen by popular choice.

Third, and lastly, there will be a feast this year! The Caerthen Cooks Guild will be sponsoring this fine repast. Tickets for the feast will be by paid reservation only. The menu and further information will be in future articles as well. For more immediate information contact the autocrat.

Autocrat: Roland O'Rourke (Rob Hatcher), 797 Dillon Way #108, Aurora CO 80011, (303) 341-5765

Defender of the Lore

Return to Wolf Mountain

July 8-10

The College of Blaiddwyn, from within the lands of al-Barran, invites one and all to join us for a weekend of fighting, dancing, and feasting.

There will be several tournaments throughout the weekend, both heavy and light. A Middle Eastern dance competition is planned for Friday night. On Saturday evening there will be a pork roast feast, followed by a bardic competition and lots of drumming. Also, in the evening there will be a brewing competition and an open tavern. The site is wet!

Merchanting is encouraged. We are asking for a small donation of wares as the merchant fee. This will provide prizes for many of the contests we will be sponsoring.

The site fee will be a mere $6.00 for members, and $8.00 for non-members. This cost includes the roasted beast feast. A map will be provided in the next Outlandish Herald. For more immediate information contact:

Autocrat: Fermina (Sarah Turner),10520 Sierra Bonita NE,Albuquerque NM 87111 (505) 292-0354

In Memory

With the heaviest of hearts we mourn the passing of His Excellency, Ishiyama Namban-no-kami Tadashi, Knight, Baron of the Court, Companion of the Order of the Scorpion of al-Barran, Lion of Atenveldt, Walker of the Way, a life-long al-Barranian, on Saturday, 2 April 1994, of a massive heart attack following a Japanese martial arts demo.

Sir Tadashi, m.k.a. Frederick David Tart, was born on 27 May 1944, at Will's Point, Texas. Mr. Tart is survived by his wife M.A. Tart, of Albuquerque, his sisters Gwen T. Pruitt and Candy T. Martin of Dallas, Texas.

Tadashi-sama joined the SCA in the Barony of al-Barran in the summer of 1977, and was instrumental in the founding of Clan Ishiyama the next fall. His awards in the SCA were many and well deserved. He was first awarded arms by Koris at al-Barran MidWinter 1977; he received Companionship in the Order of the Scorpion of al-Barran 25 May 1980 at the Grand Outlandish Tournament; he was made a Baron of the Court of the Kingdom of Atenveldt in December of 1983. On September 9, 1985 he was recognized as a Lion of Atenveldt, and three months later was made a Walker of the Way of the [Principality of the] Outlands.

Mr. Tart was the founder of Sandia Budokan, his traditional Japanese martial arts school. Mr. Tart was an optical and laser physicist in his professional career. He also played classical guitar, bagpipes, and drums.

Tadashi-sama touched the lives of all with whom he came in contact; he was a man of extreme generosity, an enthusiastic student, a gifted teacher and an inspired innovator. The method of opening and closing the peers' circles in the Kingdom of the Outlands was devised by him.

While his passing leaves a void which no single person will ever fill, he is assured of immortality in the hearts of all of us.

Mark Lasie of Westminster

A Note of Sorrow

His Excellency Evan Mawr, Laurel, Walker of the Way, Baron of the Court, long-lived member of the Barony of Caerthe, and the Canton of Hawks Hollow passed away on April 13, 1994, due to complications of a long-term illness. Further information may be obtained from his good friends in Hawks Hollow who, with the rest of the Outlands, mourn this tremendous loss.

NOTICES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Baronial All-Thing Cancelled

This grand event will most likely be rescheduled for the summer of 1995. Start planning now to show your Barony in the best possible light.

SCA New Year!

Remember that as of May 1st, 1994 the SCA begins a new year, A.S. XXIX. This is especially important for anyone who works in the Society with the written word: Chroniclers, Calligraphers, Heralds, Scribes, and Officers.

Congratulations!

To the following persons who were recognized by Their Majesties at Crown Tournament: **William de Valliers:** Stag's Blood. **Iric Black Elk:** Offer of membership in the Order of the Pelican, to be bestowed at Coronation. **Maelgwyn McCain:** Stag's Blood. **Monica the Fair:** Award of Arms. **Rebecca of Lancaster:** Trefoil. **Geraint ap Llewelyn:** Trefoil. **Monika von Zell:** Stag's Heart. Congratulations to you all!

This list is unnofficial, and was gathered by hook and crook. ***Attention Attending Heralds:*** *If at all possible, please send a copy of your event's award list for publication. Thank You—Helena*

Help Wanted!

Greetings all, from the Middle Kingdom Exchequer, The Honorable Lady Margherita Alessia. The New and Improved Society Exchequer's Manual needs articles on anything pertaining to finances in the SCA. Specific needs are: Fundraising Suggestions (at events or from the general public—if it worked for you, please tell the rest of us about it!), places to get things cheap, and competition prize suggestions. Any other articles pertaining to SCA finances will be welcomed as well! Send all contributions to: **Susan Earley, 4443 DuBois Blvd., Brookfield IL, 60513-2223,** or ghita@world.std.com. on the Internet. Hard copy or DOS disk with generic text or WordPerfect 5.1 are welcome. We are aiming to have this completed and distributed by December 1994 (just in time for Domesday!) Please help!

An Apology

Greetings, I would like to make a public apology to two of my very favorite people, Lady **Mellory** and m'lord **Ainvar.** I am truly sorry for offending you and I will do my best not to let it happen again,

Most Sincerly,
THL Caitlyn of Argyll

Land Improvement-Hawks Hollow

The Canton of Hawks Hollow would like to ask your help in improving the site in Monument, Colo. For the most part, we need help clearing debris and trimming small shrubs. The reason we ask for help at all is that more helpers make the work go faster. Harder work, such as digging holes for privies and cutting firewood also needs to be done...so be sure to wear jeans and long sleeve shirts. If you come for one of the scheduled work parties, not only will you get to choose your site in advance, but you will earn the undying gratitude of the Canton! The scheduled dates are: April 30, May 8, May 22, June 19 (still tentative). For further information and directions please contact **Lady Tambriele (Sharon Saunders) at (303) 288-3828.**

Charter for the Order of the Ensis Honoris

I. There shall exist in the Barony of the Citadel of the Southern Pass an award, known as "The Order of the Ensis Honoris," which may be given by the Baron and/or Baroness, subject to the pleasure of the Crown, to those persons who have shown skill in the art of the rapier, and demonstrated the highest ideals of chivalry and honor on the field of combat.

II. The holders of this award shall be styled "Companions of the Ensis Honoris," and shall be entitled to place the initials "CEH" after their names.

III. The insignia of the Order shall be, subject to the approval by the SCA College of Arms, some rendition of : "Azure, a rapier argent between two piles inverted Or."

IV. Companionship in this Order shall be restricted to armigers.

V. The Order shall carry precedence lower than precedential Principality Orders, but greater than simple Awards of Arms.

VI. Amendments to this charter shall be made by the Coronet of the Citadel of the Southern Pass, subject to the approval of the Crown of the Outlands.

By Our hands this 14th day of February, Anno Societatis XXVIII, being 1994 in the Common Era.

Ian — Baron

Cyrred — King

Fiachra
White Stag Principal Herald

Charitée — Baroness

Morgana — Queen

Society Marshal Opportunity

Unto the good people of the SCA. We are currently searching for a replacement for our Society Marshal. His current term of office ends in the Fall, and we would like to have someone on board as soon as possible. Please send resumes to:

Randall Tatro
164 Everest Road
Milton VT 05468

Anyone with questions about the job description should feel free to contact the current Society Marshal, Duke Lawrence of Ashana. Duke Lawrence has expressed a desire to leave office as soon as possible, once a replacement has been trained. Please have resumes submitted by June 15th, 1994.

From the White Stag
Principal herald

Mistress Fiachra ni Ciardhubhain

Greetings! I am pleased to announce that the bid from the Barony of Citadel of the Southern Pass to host the Kingdom Heraldic & Scribal Symposium has been accepted, dates to be determined. Consultation tables will be available at Coronation and at Grand Outlandish. There will be a White Stag Meeting (road show) at Outlandish, the meeting will cover submissions on the 1 May Letter of Presentation, all are invited to attend (heralds AND non-heralds). Several contests are planned for Outlandish to include best heraldic encampment, best display of heraldry, and heraldic style clothing. And, for those who wish to take up the challenge, How many of the Rules for Submission can you break in one submission? There will be prizes awarded to the winners of each competition.

The following went out on the March 94 Letter of Intent. They should be judged by Lord Laurel at his July meeting. I should hear by Mid-August, and the submitters should be notified by early September:

al-Barran, Barony of: Badge. Sable, a chevron argent surmounted by a scorpion Or, and in base a trefoil argent. **al-Barran, Barony of:** Change of Badge. {Fieldless} a scorpion Or charged with a mullet of four greater and four lesser points. **Alejandra Abelena Isabel Marin:** Name. **Bedwyr ap Gwrgant Amaethon ap Rhain:** Device. Per pale Or and sable, a tree eradicted counter changed proper and flaming Or. **Blaise de Saint Thibaut:** Name & Device. Azure, on a bend sinister between two goblets Or, an arrow azure. **Caitlin McKadem:** Device. Argent, on a chevron rompu azure three fleurs-de-lys argent, in base a fret gules. **Christina of Ravenna:** Name & Device. Purpure, semé of cinquefoils, on a pile throughout Or, a unicorn rampant gules. **Dane of Needham:** Name & Device. Per bend sinister azure and sable, a ram's head cabossed within a bordure indented Or. **Darius of Jaxartes:** Device. Per pale sable and argent, in pale five billets fesswise counterchanged and in sinister chief a bull's head cabossed gules. **Elzabeth Osanna Zelter:** Device. Argent, upon a mount vert a pavilion between in chief two mullets voided and interlaced azure. **Faolan MacConmara:** Device. Per bend engrailed gules and azure, a sun and a seadog Or. **Mael Marden:** Badge for House Ravenskeep. {Fieldless} on a tower Or, a raven's head erased contourney sable. **Marcus Lorrimer:** Name. **Michael David of Aran Island:** Badge for House of the Cross and Panther. {Fieldless} a panther's face argent enflamed proper, jessant of a cross-crosslet fitchy sable. **Outlands, Kingdom of:** Heraldic Title. Scorpion Pursuivant. **Robert atte Blackwell:** Device. Per pale argent and sable, semé of conies counterchanged. **Roland O'Rourke:** Name. **Thora Redhair:** Device. Per fess gules and argent, three plates in chevron and a butterfly per chevron gules and vert.

In his Letter of Acceptance and Return of February 1994, received by this office on 23 March 1994, Lord Laurel rule as follows on the October 1993 Letter of Intent. **The following submissions were APPROVED. Congratulations!**

Aasta Gunwaldtsdotter: Name. **Abu Zayd Ezbek Abd al-Latif ibn Farrukh:** Name & Device. Or, on a pale bretessed between two doumbecs vert, a guitar Or. **Aric Thomas Raven:** Name. **Audrey la Solitaire:** Name. **Coinneach McIain:** Name (see returns for Device). **Dana Moirreach:** Name (Device Pended). **Drahomira Jaroslavna:** Name. **Elzabeth Osanna Zelter:** Name. **Fiacha Sulleach:** Badge. Per pale azure and purpure, a bezant between in fess an increscent and a decrescent argent. **Karl von Schattenburg:** Name & Device. Sable, on a chevron couched from sinister argent between three castles triple-towered Or, five crosses

formy gules. **Mark de Saint-Sauveur-le-Vicomte:** Name. **Outlands, Kingdom of :** Title for Rampart Herald. **Philip Rufus Kennard:** Name for House Grey Boar. **Talan the Night Owl:** Device. Per chevron sable and azure, a chevron rompu between two feathers argent and an owl displayed Or. **Torcail Gilleghaolain:** Badge for House Caer Knot (see returns for House Name). {Fieldless} On a portcullis argent a thistle flower slipped in the form of a stafford knot proper.

In the same letter Lord Laurel sent the following submissions as **RETURNED:**
Corin y Cynydd: Device. Metal on metal.
Dun Bolact, Canton of: Name-Incorrect construction. Device-redraw.
Elisheva bat Simon Halevi: Name & Badge for Federated House of Thunder. Name-Incorrect construction. Badge-modern style.
Enrigue de Molina: Device. Conflict.
Miriel d'Estoile: Badge. Conflict & modern style.
Oengus of Greymist: Name-Incorrect construction. House Greymist-Incorrect construction & Conflict.
Outlands, Kingdom of: Heraldic Title. Conflict
Torcail Gilleghaolain: Badge. Conflict.
House Caer Knot-Incorrect construction.

This letter had a 59% pass, and a 41% return rate.

In Service,
Fiachra

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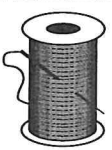

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From the Chronicler

Lady Helena the Fortunate

Greetings unto all! As Coronation approaches I wish to congratulate TRH's Artan and Aziza on becoming the new heirs to the Outlands. This Coronation should prove to be one of the best ever! There will be a Chronicler's meeting held at 3:00 p.m. on Coronation day, May 7th. This meeting is not only open to chronicler's and deputies, but also to the courteous populace of the Outlands. If you are interested in becoming a chronicler, or if you would like to learn more about the SCA Publication Policy, please feel free to join us.

During this past month I have accepted two additional deputies to this office. In addition to myself, or Mistress Ælflæd (my main deputy), you may contact either of the following persons on issues concerning this office:

THL Jessica de Andalucia (Jessica Dickerson), of Caer Galen (303) 287-9343

or

Lady Gwenlyn Aldwyn (Michelle Myers), of al-Barran (505) 837-1626.

THL Jessica was formerly a deputy Kingdom Chronicler in Ansteorra and has received much appraisal throughout the Outlands as well. Lady Gwenlyn will resign as al-Barran's chronicler at Grand Outlandish. She has done remarkable work in her long tenure as a local chronicler. Both of these deputies are knowledgeable on the Society and this office. I welcome them, and thank them for their assistance.

The Outlands also has two new local chronicler's this month. Replacing Lady Gwenlyn in al-Barran will be **Lady Stephanie of Garrow's Loch,** and

1994 WHITE STAG MEETINGS:
5/15, 6/12, 7/17, 8/7, 9/18, 10/16, 11/13, 12/11 Meetings are from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. For further information contact Mistress Fiachra (Wanda J. Strickland), 303–750–9219

replacing **Baroness Bronwyn** in Caer Galen will be **THL Louis-Phillipe Mitouard.** Congratulations to you both, and Welcome Aboard!

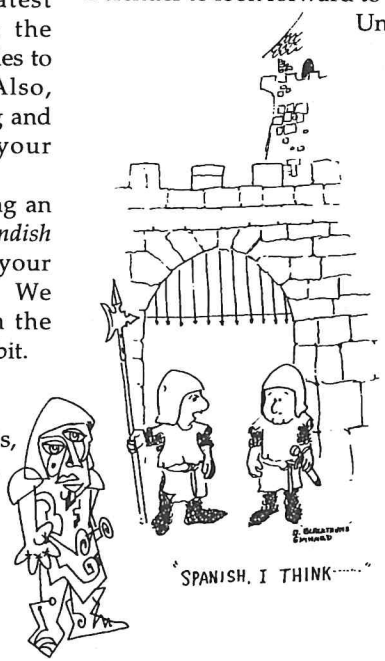
Last month there were some misunderstandings concerning the disclaimer for local newsletters which reads, *"The {Newsletter name} is not a corporate publication of the SCA..."* This statement was misinterpreted, by a few, to mean that local newsletters are autonomous and not required to follow the SCA Publication Policy. This assumption is incorrect. Accept for variations on the policy concerning advertisements, local newsletters are bound by the same policy as a Kingdom newsletter.

The disclaimer notes that the local newsletter is not a corporate publication. This is true. An example of a corporate publication would be *Tournaments Illuminated,* or *The Compeat Anachronist.* A local newsletter is an SCA branch publication, not a corporate one. I hope this clarification has helped somewhat.

I would like to thank those people and groups who submitted timely articles for the May issue. This is very important, as the Outlands already has the latest Kingdom newsletter deadline in the Society. Please continue to send articles to me by the **fifth** of the month. Also, remember to include both the starting and **ending time** of your event with your submission.

We are still interested in publishing an Arts and Sciences issue of the *Outlandish Herald.* Please send articles about your work to myself or Mistress Ælflæd. We have many so talented artisans in the Outlands, we should show them off a bit.

In Service to the Outlands,
Helena



From the Marshal of Fence

Don Maximillian

I would like to thank everyone who responded to my request for input on the rules re-write. Of the two most common suggestions the one that I am most in agreement with is a new authorization level that will regulate the who and how of the Schlagger blade.

The other suggestion is the separation of the double-wide or musketeer blade from the normal epee. While there is a weight difference from the normal France-Lames blade, the difference is very slight when compared with other European blades. This difference is only on the newer musketeer blades; the older ones were somewhat heavier, but they are generally unavailable now.

On a lighter side, the tourney season is here at last. By the time this is printed, A Sworded Affaire will have come and gone. Hopefully, everyone will have filled their fencing appetites for the time being. We still have Coronation, and Caer Galen Defender to look forward to as well.

Until next month,
adieu
Maximillian

From the Equestrian Guild

Carolyn Meinl

Greetings! Due to an advisement from the Society Deputy Marshal for Equestrian Affairs, Horse Marshals will be warranted through each Kingdom's equestrian system. This year's Grand Outlandish will be the initial site for Horse Marshall tests for the Kingdom of the Outlands.

As there are increasingly strict safety rules, the Society Deputy Equestrian Marshal has also asked that all horses be approved for safety before being brought on site. All equestrians who wish to bring horses to this year's Grand Outlandish are requested to seek permission from myself, the Outlands Horse Marshal prior to the event (*see p. 2 for address*).

I would like to remind all equestrians that they must bring sufficient feed and water for their horses. Equestrians are strongly encouraged to make their task of watering horses easier by boarding them (at no charge) each night at my home, which is near the Outlandish site.

You do not have to own a horse to be active in the Equestrian Guild, or even to be a Horse Marshal. If you love horses, and want to be active in equestrian events, please contact me. I may also be able to locate another equestrian who lives nearby you who could provide you with the regular use of a steed at events.

For those who live in the al-Barran region, I will be delighted to provide free use of horses and riding lessons for horseless equestrians of all ages. Riding practices are offered most Saturdays and Sunday afternoons. SCA members who do have horses are also most welcome to join in theses horse practices.

In closing I wish to thank Dean Vickery, a new SCA member, for plowing an arena for horses at my home, and Kassandra Roannoch of North Wolf for assisting in equestrian practice activities. Kassandra has also graciously agreed to serve as Horse Marshall for this year's Grand Outlandish. She will be in charge of coordinating and monitoring safety for all horse activities on site. For further information concerning horses at Grand Outlandish, contact me.

In Service,
Carolyn

Interkingdom Archery

Sir Jon Fitz-Rauf

The IKAC and the IKCAC will end on December 1st this year, except in the Southern hemisphere where they will end on September 1st.

Those archers shooting crossbow in the IKCAC must include the style of crossbow (period or modern) and the number of arrows shot in each speed end on their score sheet.

The new draft target archery rules from the Society Marshal allow ONLY the use of target points in target competitions. This could be interpreted to exclude the use of field points, blunts or period style points such as bodkins. The IKCAC is a target competition using combat equipment. If the current draft rules are put into effect without changing this section, it will be impossible to continue the IKCAC or any other target completion that does not use target points and archers would not be allowed to use field points or period replicas. But the IKCAC will continue until that rule is enacted. The continued use of field points and other points, except broadheads, will still be allowed in the IKAC. I am hopeful that the Marshal will change the rule to allow other types of arrow points.

For further information on this topic, contact your Kingdom Archer General, or write to me at:

Sir Jon Fitz-Rauf (John Edgerton)
7662 Wells Ave.
Newark CA 94560-3530
(510) 791-9070

Aten–Outlands War
Arts & Sciences Competition

A. The Arts and Sciences Competition will be worth one full war point. The categories are **Costume Accessories, Toys and Games,** and **Woodworking.** Documentation will be required and will be worth ten points. There will be one entry per category.

1. **Costume Accessories** shall consist of hats, pouches, shoes, and gloves.
    a. Documentation should include general description of article; date and place of item being re-created, dates that fabrics, styles and techniques chosen were available to be used together. Include drawings and/or photocopies of examples, and list materials. Indicate where pattern was obtained, cite examples, and list sources.
2. **Toys and Games** shall include any toys or games that would be appropriate to the period of SCA interest.
    a. Documentation should include general description and/or stated purpose of the piece; date and place when materials were available to be used with techniques and tools chosen. If a child's toy, indicate appropriate age. If a game, include instructions. List materials, techniques, and tools used. Include drawings, patterns, and diagrams and/or pictures; cite examples and list sources.
3. **Woodworking** shall include any wooden article done in any style that would be appropriate to the period of SCA interest.
    a. Documentation should include a general description and/or stated purpose of the piece; date of style and place of technique used to produce the piece; dates when the materials and techniques chosen would have been used together. List materials, techniques, and tools used. Include drawings, patterns, and diagrams and/or pictures. Cite examples and list sources.

B. All three categories will be judged on 1) documentation, 2) complexity and/or difficulty of piece, 3) workmanship, 4) aesthetic quality, 5) creativity, and 6) authenticity.

1. Each of the six areas will be worth from 1-10 points. There will be three judges for each category, i.e. one from Atenveldt, one from Outlands, and one independent judge.

C. For information or questions, please contact either:

1. Lady Fiona Gwyllt Wynne, Atenveldt Kingdom MoAS (Verna Ramondino), 2911 W. Campbell Ave., Phoenix AZ 85017, (602) 433-0137, or
2. Mistress Liobsynde, Outlands Kingdom MoAS (Charlease Bobo), 3105 Jon St., Colorado Springs CO 80907, (719) 520-9838

Outlandish Herald Credits

Cover Artist: **Sir Irel Krist of Starry Inne** Inside Artists: **Oscar Einhard** pp. 14, 16, 21, 26; and **Master William Blackfox** p.30. Thank you for the beautiful work this month!

Much credit on this issue needs to be given to **Roderic the Red** for map work, and computer assistance; to **Master Gunwalt Gulbjörn** for sorting labels and compiling group counts in a pinch; to **Mistress Susan the Midwife** for manning the Editor-Sanity hotline this month; and most of all, I wish to thank **Mistress Ælflæd of Duckford** for proofing and for helpful editorial assistance. Mistress Ælflæd's tremendous and consistent efforts are a large part of the reason why the *OH* has been getting such wonderful appraisals as of late.

Lastly, I wish to thank members of my modern family, **Frances and Curtis McNeill,** and **Clayton Booker,** who assisted me with sticking the April lablels.

–Helena the Fortunate

Out of Kingdom Events

Lilies War VIII–Calontir

June 11-20

This war is to be held at Smithville Lake, 25 miles north of Kansas City, Missouri. The site is the Kelsey Short Youth Camp near Smithville. The event will open Saturday, June 11, at 3:00 p.m. and close on Monday, June 20, at Noon. **Fees** will be $20.00 for members and $22.00 for non-members for the full 10 days, decreasing $2.00 per day. Children under 12 are half price. There will be an additional $15.00 permit fee for merchants. Do NOT send pre-registration money. Checks will be accepted at Troll. Please make out all checks to SCA Inc.–Calontir Lilies War.

This is a 200 acre semi-primitive, partially wooded, lake front camping-only site with lots of nice camping areas in fields, woods, and on the beach-front. We hope to have the on-site showers completed this year. Swimming is permitted anywhere in the lake but no lifeguards are provided. Mundane services are all available in nearby towns. Pets are permitted if kept on a leash at all times. No horses. Ground fires permitted with autocrat approval. Alcoholic beverages are permitted but containers must be removed from the site. Camping is on a first come-first camp basis only. No land allocations. Merchants who wish to reserve space in the merchant area should write to the Merchant Autocrat for more information.

We invite all in the known world to join us for ten days of fighting, archery, A & S, children's activities, camping, and celebration of Calontir's tenth anniversary as a Kingdom. Further information concerning this exciting (and darn close to the Outlands) event, contact the Autocrat(s).

Autocrat: Countess Susannah Griffon (Susan Jackson), 9817 Hollingsworth Rd., Kansas City KS 66109, (913) 334-2098.

Merchant Coordinator: Mistress Myra Nedlesaeng (Mary Boulet), 1923 Grand Ave. SE, Cedar Rapids IA 52403 (Contact by mail only).

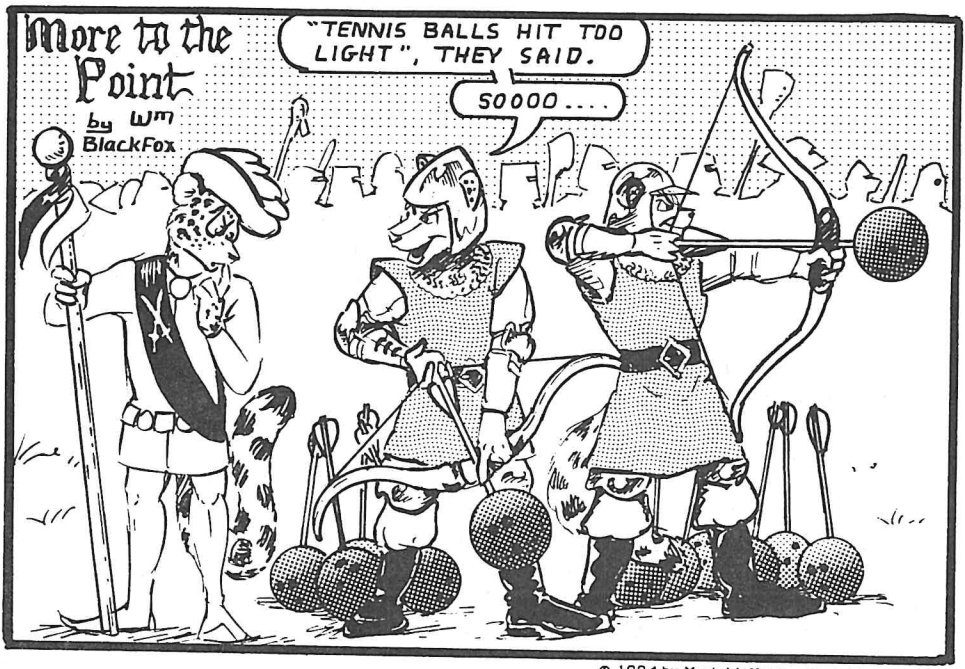
1994 Known World Heraldic Symposium–Trimaris

June 25-27

The Kingdom of Trimaris is pleased to present the 1994 Known World Heraldic Symposium on June 24-26th at the Howard Johnson Plaza, (formerly called the Quality Hotel) in Orlando, Florida. The hotel is located at 2835 McCoy Rd. in Orlando. Room rates are $40.00 per night (1-4 people per room). Be sure to mention the SCA when booking. For hotel reservations call (407) 859-2711 (and please book early!). Site fee is $10.00 until May 25, and $15.00 thereafter. There will be an informal reception on Friday night. On Saturday there will be a full schedule of Heraldry, Scribal and Onomastics classes. A catered feast will be offered on Saturday evening: the cost is $22.00. Please make all checks payable to SCA–DBA Kingdom of Trimaris.

Potential teachers are requested to contact the autocrat. Please provide a short outline of the class you wish to teach. Also, scribes are encouraged to bring a sample of their work. We plan to have a display of scribal work from around the Known World for viewing on Saturday.

For more information contact the **Autocrat:** Baron Serwyl ap Morgan (Charles Hack), 3366 Laurel Grove South, Jacksonville FL 32223, (904)886–0326.



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Kingdom Planning Calendar

May A.S. XXIX			
7-8	Coronation	Scorpions Hollow	Kaylin/505-359-2713
14	A & S Visual	Caerthe	Taliesin/303-660-8330
14	May Play & Polling	Unser Hafen	Theresa/303-482-6608
25-30	Grand Outlandish	al-Barran	Gunwaldt/505-299-2476
27-29	Brigands Bizarre VI	Unser Hafen	Aedhan/303-568-3950
June			
4	Warlord/Defender	Dragonsspine	Ayslyni/719-597-4944
11-20	Lillies War VII	Calontir	Susannah/913-334-2098
10-12	Triple Faire	Caerthe	Krystyana/303-427-8449
11	Aarquelle Defender	Aarquelle	Bryan/719-489-3840
11-12	Mid-Summer Frolic	Loch Thioram	Rashani/505-538-5979
18	Moonviewing	Hawks Hollow	Yamashiro/303-295-3558
25	Banner Tourney	Windkeep	Kayleigh/307-778-8536
25-26	Aten/Outlands War	Atenveldt	
July			
8-10	Defender /Lore	Blaiddwyn	Fermina/505-292-0354
9-10	Crossroads II	Hawks Hollow	Roland/303-341-5765
17	Arts in the Park	Loch Thioram	Calandra/505-546-2533
23-24	Moonlight Tourney	Caer Mithin Halle	Siobhan/505-885-9634
23-24	Board of Directors Meeting	Caerthe	Ava/303-480-9321
23-24	Warlord Tourney	Caerthe	
30	Defender/Investiture	Unser Hafen	Minimoto/303-498-0798
August			
6-7	Kingdom A&S Competition		Liobsynde/719-520-9838
13	Windkeep Defender	Windkeep	Mavellic/307-778-8536
13-14	Three Hawks Champion	Hawks Hollow	Tambriel/303-288-3828
26-27	Dragon Quest III	Hinterlands	Katrine/308-436-2690
September			
9-11	Champion of al-Barran	al-Barran	Artan/505-256-4568
24-25	Challenge of the Sands	Kahlland	Dana/505-392-3546
October			
1-2	Crown Tourney		
8-9	Defender of the Horse	Loch Thioram	Caitlyn/505-546-8607
15-16	Italian Experience	Citadel	Signy/915-598-4099
22-23	Harvest	Caer Mithin Halle	Renna/505-885-3382
November			
5-6	Coronation		
13	Baronial Arts & Sciences	Unser Hafen	Gwynn/303-490-1187
December			
3	Hunters Feast VI	Windkeep	Rhys/307-632-1133

Local Groups in the Outlands
with contact people, meetings, and newsletters

Unless otherwise specified, make checks for newsletters to SCA — [name of the group]

Aarquelle — **Shire**

Pueblo, CO

Seneschal: Ximena (Cynthia Mills), 2708 N. Greenwood, Pueblo CO 81003, 719–544–2697 (12/95)

Aarquelle Chronicle Lady Phyllis Meisterssohn (Phyllis Wroth), 1804 Hollywood, Pueblo CO 81005, 719–561–1354 (to 7/12/94)

al-Barran — **Barony**

Albuquerque/Tijeras/Corrales/Los Lunas, NM

Seneschal: Countess Elisheva (Corinne Dowd), 1906 Adonis, Albuquerque NM 87110, 505–275–9408 (Acting)

Fighter Practice: Sundays at noon, Jeanne Bellamah Park, SE of Tomasita and Constitution. Contact Sir Needham 505–246–8849

The Baronial Shaft Lady Gwenlyn Aldwyn (Michelle Myers), 1401 Pennsylvania #2095 NE, Albuquerque NM 87110, 505–837–1626, $8/yr, to P.O. Box 27676, Albuquerque NM 87125 (to 7/12/94)

see also Blaiddwyn

Anlieplic Dun — **Shire**

Los Alamos, NM

Seneschal: Lady Aithne Luighseach Daraithne (Catherine Hensley) 3442 Villa, Los Alamos NM 87544, 505–662–4217 (to 2/94)

Sunshaft Occasional; from the seneschal.

Ard Tir — **Shire**

Laramie, WY

Seneschal: Laird Duncan MacAllister (Eric Schooley) 814 S. 4th St., Laramie WY 82070, 307–766–7968 (to 8/94)

Blaiddwyn — **Incipient College**

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University of New Mexico

Seneschal: Lord Adam the Persistent (Adam Hathaway), SUB Box 54, UNM, Albuquerque NM 87131, 505–277-3083 at UNM (4/94)

Fighter Practice: Wednesdays, 7:30, Carlisle Gym at UNM (between Central and the Duck Pond). Call Adam.

Caer Galen — **Shire**

Boulder County, CO

Seneschal: Lady Elizabeth O'Brynne (Karen Teel) 1473 Dunsford Way, Broomfield CO 80020, 303–465–6131 (Acting)

Fighter Practice: 6:30 Thursdays, CU Balch Field House next to Folsom Stadium. Be careful where you park! Contact: Lord Jalut 303–665–7796

Dorinda $7/yr Branwyn Ottersby (Wynn Klosky), 2300 Arapahoe No. 102, Boulder CO 80302, 303–786–0996 (to 7/12/94)

Caer Mithin Halle — **Shire**

Carlsbad, NM

Seneschal: HE William de Vallier (Steve Carroll) 404 Pike Drive, Carlsbad NM 88220, 505–885–1923 (10/95)

Fighter Practice: 1:00 Sundays, Carlsbad Park's Band Shell. Contact Gerald de Certus 505–887–3494 or Lady Royse 505–887–6199

The Hidden Hall Bard $6 for 6 issues, Lord Crimthann Dal Cais (Robert Goff) P.O. Box 1237, Carlsbad NM 88221, 505–887–0961 (to 7/12/94)

Caerthe — **Barony**

Denver metro area, CO

Seneschal: Lady Taryn Brannick (Ronni Walsh) 3142 W. 26th St. #1, Denver CO 80211, 303–458–8754 (Acting)

Fighter Practice: 6:30 Thursdays, CU Balch Field House next to Folsom Stadium. Be careful where you park! Contact: Lord Jalut 303–665–7796. Fencing same as heavy weapons PLUS Tuesdays at Washington Park 6:00 p.m. — contact: **Lord Tryffin 303-252-0288**

The Fortress $8.50/yr Lady Marguerite d'Isere (Pearl Marquez), 1604 S. Raleigh Street, Denver CO 80219, 303–937–7318 (to 7/12/94)

see also Hawks Hollow

Citadel of the Southern Pass — **Barony**

El Paso and Hudspeth Counties, TX

Seneschal: Lord Rahlahn (Ron Higgins), **206 South Balboa, El Paso TX 79912, 915–587–5262**

Fighter Practice: 11:00 Sundays, Eastwood Park. Contact **Lord Gavin 915–855–9846** or HE Ian 915–821–7007

The Medieval Tymes $7/yr Mistress Monika von Zell (Pat Knapp), 10717 Sombra Verde, El Paso TX 79935, 915–592-7431

Dragonsspine — **Barony**

Colorado Springs, CO

Seneschal: Lady Leofsige O' Caoimh (Maggie Griggs), 3652 Queen Anne Way, Colorado Springs CO 80917, 719–550–1809 (Acting)

Fighter Practice: (Winter) 7:00 Mondays, Wasson HS Cafeteria, 2115 Afton Way. Contact Sir Haroun 719–444–0194

Archery Practice: Tuesday nights (except 1st Tuesdays), 6:30 p.m., archery range at Bear Creek Park, at 21st and Argus. Contact Lord Reginald at 719–389–0219.

Meiassis Dragon #6/year, Mistress Elaina de Sinistre (Mary Morman), 1245 Allegheny Dr., Colorado Springs CO 80919, 719–522–0387 (Acting)

see also Tygre's Keep

Drygestan — **Shire**

Santa Fe, NM

Seneschal: Lord Aric Raven (Spencer Martin), 1325 Calle Corazzi #7, Santa Fe NM 87505 505–474–0899 (9/95)

Fighter Practice: 7:00 Wednesdays, Agua Fria Elementary. Contact Aric 505–474–0899.

The Blasted Newsletter Quarterly, Lady Etain McCanna (Cory Conwell), 1402 Maclovia Apt. D, Santa Fe NM 87505, 505–438–0779 (3/95)

Dún Bólacht — **Incipient Canton**

Greeley, CO

Seneschal: Lughbec ni Eoin (Nancy Lynch), 1941 6th Ave., Greeley CO 80631 303–353–6782 (Acting)

Gathering: Tuesdays, 6-9 p.m. at Heath Jr. High cafeteria. 16th St. & 22nd Ave, Greeley CO; Contact Amice 303–352–3265

see also Unser Hafen

Fontaine dans Sable — **Shire**

Farmington, NM

Seneschal: m'Lady Isleen nic Conan (Mary Lyon), 1320 Linden Dr., Farmington NM 87401, 505–325–2412 (Acting)

Fighter Practice: noon on Saturdays, Kiwanis Park or Highland Park. **Contact Master Johan Blau (John McHarney) 505–632–2854**

La Fontaine des Nouvelles $6/yr Lady Louarna Ceit Donnachaidh (Lorna Duncan-Edwards), 214 N. Orchard Ave., Farmington NM 87401, 505–325–5112 (to 7/12/94)

Gleann Medonach — **Shire**

Roswell, NM

Seneschal: Lord Wolfangus Mhic Mairghdin (David Martin) 16 B St., Roswell NM 88201, 505–347–5781 (to 10/94)

Hawks Hollow — **Canton of Caerthe**

Westminster/Thornton/Commerce, CO

Seneschal: Sayyid Isma'il Ihsaan (Chris Lockaby), 1447 West 101st Place, Northglenn CO 80221, 303–252–0788 (to 9/95)

Fighter Practice: Will be held at Caerthe's. Please refer to Baronial listing.

Archery Practice: Contact Lord Parthalon MacAnabba 303–650–6678

Canton Info Line: 303–252–0788

Hinterland — **Shire**

Scottsbluff/Gering, NE

Seneschal: Lady Katrine Vanora of Maid Stone (Nadine de' Bacco), P.O. Box 158, Gering NE 69341, 308–436–2690 (to 1/95)

Fighter Practice: 6:00 p.m. Tuesdays, Gering Nat. Guard Armory. Contact Lord Hiro (Ashikaga Sama), 308–632–4418

Archery Practice: 6:00 Thursdays, Gering Nat. Guard Armory. Contact Suleyman al-Hazar 308–247–3184

The Scroll $6 per year, Lord Brian (Michael Martinson), 1555 5th St., Gering NE 69341, 308–436–2427 (7/94)

Kahlland — **Incipient Shire**

Hobbs, NM

Seneschal: Lady Rebecca of Lancaster (Rebecca Gore), 1644 Grayson, Hobbs NM 88240, 505–397–0128 (Acting)

Dance Practice: 7:00 p.m. Thursdays, Knowles Community Center. Contact Rebecca (above)

The Rune Werk $6 per year, Lady **Bennet Murray** (Beverly Snodgrass), 1801 E. Highland, Hobbs NM 88240

Loch Thioram — **Shire**

Deming and Silver City, NM

Seneschal: Lady Rashani Vahanna (Pat Doyle) 311 North Bayard, Silver City NM 88061 505–538–5979 (9/95)

Nahrun Kabirun — **Shire**

Las Cruces, NM

Seneschal: Lady Törägänä (Allison Greene-Wall) 4025-B Mary Circle, Las Cruces NM 88001, 505–524–2319 (9/95)

Fighter Practice: 1:00 Sunday, Presidio Park on the NMSU campus. Contact Lord Bela 505–524–2319.

Plattefordham — **Shire**

Casper, WY

Seneschal: Lady Rhiannon Caroleine Beaufort (Carole Christy) P.O. Box 123, Alcova WY 82620, 307–235–0464 (to 9/94)

Plattefordham Parchment $6/year if mailed, $3 local. Ysabeau Morgan Beauclere (Beth Christy), Box 123, Alcova WY 82620, 307–235–0456 (to 7/12/94)

Saint Golias — **College**

Socorro, NM

Seneschal: Lord Maddox of Glastonbury (Matt Gilson) Campus Box 3623 C/S, Socorro NM 87801, 505–835–6274 (Acting)

Fighter Practice: 1:00 Saturday at the New Mexico Tech. Athletic Field. Info: Christoph 505–835–4869.

The Goshawk Stephany Moore, Campus Station Box 2335, Socorro NM 87801, 505–835–9168

Scorpions Hollow — **Shire**

Portales/Clovis, NM

Seneschal: m'lord Devon Nightshade (Johnny Casady), 800 3rd St., P.O. Box 47, Melrose NM 88124, 505–253–4657 (Acting)

Scorpions Tales Nanette Rochelle (Nancy Brace), 404 E. 8th Street, Clovis NM 88101, 505–762–1359 (7/12/94)

Thingvollr — **Incipient Shire**

Torrington, WY

Seneschal: Wolfram Von Garner (Lloyd Garner) RR1 Box 482, Torrington WY 82240, 307–532–7756 (to 10/94)

Tygre's Keep — **College**

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Colorado College

Seneschal: m'lady Aithne Sidheach de Graham (Melissa Hall) 902 N. Cascade #499, Colorado Springs CO 80946, 719-389-7855

Fewmets Cetharyne de Montrey (Karen Yamane) 902 N. Cascade Ave. #1799, Colorado Springs CO 80946, 719–389–7885 $4 for outsiders; free on campus.

Unser Hafen — **Barony**

Larimer/parts of Weld Co., CO

Seneschal: THL Theresa die Tanzerin (Terry Foppe), 622 Whedbee, Ft. Collins CO 80521, 303–482–6608 (Acting)

Fighter Practice: Sundays, 1-6 p.m. Spring Creek Park, Ft. Collins. Contact Lord Tuman 303–484–1087

Archery Practice: Sundays, 12-2 p.m. in Loveland. Contact Lady Rosalind 303–667–1284.

Dance Practice: 2nd & 4th Mondays, 7-9:30 p.m. Contact THL Catriona 303–669–1754

The Tosspot $7/year, Lord Robin of Bristol (Mark E. Breuer), 1613 Leesdale Ct., Fort Collins CO 80521, 303–493–2367 (to 7/12/94)

see also Dún Bólacht

White Mountain — **Shire**

Alamogordo, NM

Seneschal: Lady Sylvia Stjärnstirrare (Cecelia Quintana) P.O. Box 254, La Luz NM 88337, 505–437–3561 (to 3/95)

Fighter Practice: Sundays 2 p.m. at Alameda Park

Archery Practice: Saturdays 4 p.m. at Lady Sylvia and Lord Tore's in La Luz; see above

Armor Workshop: Wednesdays 6:30 p.m. at Lord Tore's.

Windkeep — **Shire**

Cheyenne/Warren AFB, WY

Seneschal: Lady Kayleigh Hays (Gail Barbero), 709 West 5th St., Cheyenne WY 82007, 307–778–8536 (Acting)

Fighter Practice/Archery: Tuesday 4 p.m., Holiday Park. Call Kayleigh (above)

All Guilds' Meeting: Thursday 4 p.m.. Contact Rhys

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Guidelines for the Outlandish Herald

The deadline for the June issue is Thursday, May 5th. Anything received after that may be used if we need to fill out four pages. Please, when possible, send articles on disk, with a paper copy enclosed. Your disks will be returned to you. A Macintosh format is preferred, however we can usually translate most PC formats. Submissions may also be sent via e-mail to the Kingdom Chronicler on the internet: `reesie@odin.unm.edu`. You may FAX your submission to the Kingdom Chronicler, but you must call first by voice. *Please send short articles until two months before the event.*

ADVERTISING RATES: *Advertising will be used only as space allows.* Full page $25, half page $15, quarter page $7. Over 1000 copies of this issue are going out; most will be seen by two or more people. Make checks to SCA–*Outlandish Herald* and mail them to: Outlandish Herald, c/o Helene McNeill, 820 Landman Dr. NE, Albuquerque NM 87123.

Kingdom Arts and Sciences Competition

Categories and Rules

Categories:

I. Visual Art
1. Calligraphy
2. Illumination
3. Drawing and Painting
4. Jewelry
5. Glasswork
6. Heraldic Design
7. Wood Carving
8. Sculpture
9. Other Visual Art

II. Fiber Art
1. Costume
2. Weaving
3. Needlework
4. Lacework
5. Other Fiber Art

III. Culinary Art
1. Bread
2. Sweets
3. Prepared Meats
4. Herb Dish
5. Brewing
6. Herbalism
7. Other Culinary Art

Note: This event will be held August 6-7, A.S. XXIX (1994). Look for more information concerning the location in future issues of the *Outlandish Herald.*

IV. Functional Art
1. Leather
2. Armor
3. Weapons
4. Horse Barding
5. Furniture
6. Musical Instruments
7. Pottery
8. Household Articles
9. Other Functional Art

V. Performance Art
1. Dramatic Reading
2. Vocal Music
3. Instrumental Music
4. Court Dance
5. Ethnic Dance
6. Storytelling
7. Other Performance Art

VI. Written Art
1. Research
2. Instructional
3. Entertainment

VII. Models / Miniatures
1. Model Horse Barding
2. Weapons / Instruments of Warfare
3. Dioramas / Educational Displays
4. Other

VIII. Something New Learned Since Last Competition (August 1, 1993)
Required for Champion contestants

Rules of Entries:

1. Champion contestants must have current SCA membership and reside within the boundaries of the Outlands.
2. All work entered is assumed to be that of the contestant. Proper credit should be given to references and sources.
3. The entrant should include documentation with each item entered, including a general description, method of construction, and information relating to its authenticity and period use.
4. The entrant may enter up to two items in each subcategory, with a limit of five items in each major category with a total not to exceed 15 items.
5. Any single item will be allowed to be entered in only one category
6. No item may be entered which has previously been entered in any other Outlands Kingdom Arts and Sciences Competition.
7. **Written entries: Three (3) copies of written entries are due by mail to the Kingdom MOAS by June 30th for distribution to the judges.**

Cross Index of Groups

Aarquelle Pueblo CO
Adams County CO *Hawk's Hollow*
al-Barran Albuquerque, NM
Alamogordo NM *White Mountain*
Albuquerque NM *al-Barran*
Anlieplic Dun Los Alamos NM
Ard Tir Laramie WY
Blaiddwyn University of New Mexico
Boulder CO *Caer Galen*
Caer Galen Boulder CO
Caer Mithin Halle Carlsbad NM
Caerthe Denver CO
Carlsbad NM *Caer Mithin Halle*
Casper WY *Platteforddham*
Cheyenne WY *Windkeep*
Citadel of the Southern Pass El Paso TX
Clovis NM *Scorpions Hollow*
Colorado College *Tygre's Keep*
Colorado Springs CO *Dragonsspine*
Deming NM *Loch Thioram*
Denver CO *Caerthe*
Dragonsspine Colorado Springs CO
Drygestan Santa Fe NM
Dún Bólacht Greeley CO
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Fort Collins CO *Unser Hafen*
Gering NE *Hinterland*
Gleann Medonach Roswell NM
Greeley CO *Dún Bólacht*
Hawk's Hollow Adams County CO
Hinterland Gering NE
Hobbs NM *Kahlland*
Kahlland Hobbs NM
Laramie WY *Ard Tir*
Las Cruces NM *Nahrun Kabirun*
Loch Thioram Deming NM
Los Alamos NM *Anlieplic Dun*
Nahrun Kabirun Las Cruces, NM
Platteforddham Casper WY
Pueblo CO *Aarquelle*
Roswell NM *Gleann Medonach*
Santa Fe NM *Drygestan*
Scorpions Hollow Clovis NM
Socorro NM *St. Golias*
St. Golias Socorro NM
Thingvollr Torrington WY
Torrington WY *Thingvollr*
Tygre's Keep Colorado College
University of New Mexico *Blaiddwyn*
Unser Hafen Fort Collins CO
White Mountain Alamogordo, NM
Windkeep Cheyenne WY

Group Counts

May AS XXIX

GROUP	1st Class	3rd Class
al-Barran	42	139
Caerthe	47	77
Citadel	8	35
Dragonsspine	30	52
Unser Hafen	16	35
Aarquelle	1	9
Anlieplic Dun	2	6
Ard Thir	2	8
Caer Galen	16	25
Caer Mithin Halle	6	10
Drygestan	7	25
Fairwater Dale		5
Fontaine dans Sable	2	11
Gleann Medonach		15
Hinterland	1	5
Kahlland	3	8
Loch Thioram	3	7
Nahrun Kabirun	3	19
Platteforddham		8
Saint Golias	3	9
Scorpions Hollow	6	11
Thingvollr		7
White Mountain	3	4
Windkeep	6	13
homesteaders	7	24
Anahuac (Mexico - air mail)	2	
out of Kingdom		
West	4	22
(Australia - air mail)	3	
Eastrealm	4	13
Midrealm	2	20
Atenveldt	3	49
Meridies		13
Caid	2	13
Ansteorra	8	57
Atlantia	1	11
AnTir	3	9
Calontir	1	18
Trimaris	2	6
Drachenwald		4
TOTAL	244	802
(air mail)	5	

These statistics are compiled by Jarl Gunwaldt Gulbjorn.

The kingdom group counts are based on the geographical divisions of the kingdoms. The local group counts are based on my knowledge of each group's boundaries and the growth of the Outlands. As each group petitions for official status, its lands may or may not be explicitly stated in mundane terms (modern boundaries or zip codes). Some divisions are very traditional in nature and others are obvious from the geographical surroundings. The homesteaders are those addresses which fall outside reasonable distances to any group center at all.

Of course, none of these numbers have significant meaning. They are only label counts and not overall population counts. They are only relative indicators of the health of our groups. One can quickly see that our baronies are hale and most of the shires are stable. Even the incipient groups are well informed through the pages of this newsletter.

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Happy New Year, SCA!

If you receive this by 4/30, see p. 12 for The Grand Outlandish Site Improvement information. We need your help!

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